

WARRICK COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
Resolution on the Spending of
Federal Economic Recovery Funds
(Resolution No. 2009- 8)

WHEREAS, the economic downturn is having a critical impact on everyday Americans who are struggling to maintain or find jobs in an increasingly difficult environment, and

WHEREAS, those same Americans are the taxpayers that provide the revenue needed to operate essential government services, and

WHEREAS, Congress has approved and President Obama has signed into law a taxpayer-sponsored economic recovery package that will provide billions of dollars to help economically devastated cities and states immediately provide jobs to millions of out-of-work Americans through considerable infrastructure rebuilding, green energy projects and other projects that will require manufactured components, and

WHEREAS, our taxpayer dollars should be spent to maximize the creation of American jobs and restoring the economic vitality of our communities, and

WHEREAS, any domestically produced products that are purchased with economic recovery plan monies will immediately help struggling American families and will help stabilize our greater economy, and

WHEREAS, any economic recovery plan spending should – to every extent possible – include a commitment from Warrick County, Indiana to buy materials, goods and services for projects that are produced locally within the State of Indiana or within the United States (to the extent allowed by competitive bidding and other laws), thus employing the very workers that pay the taxes for the economic recovery plan spending in the first place.

THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, we the Board of Commissioners of Warrick County, Indiana, will work to maximize the creation of local and American jobs and restoring economic growth and opportunity by spending economic recovery plan funds on products and services that both create and retain local and American jobs and help keep local and American taxpayers employed.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT, we strongly support and encourage that economic recovery funds be used to purchase products and services that are made or performed locally whenever and wherever possible.

So resolved on this 3rd day of APRIL, 2009.

**WARRICK COUNTY
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